

















NEGRO MELODY.

POOR LAZARUS.  
(*Students can enthusiastically*)  
I weep and I mourn,  
Lord, I weep and I mourn,  
Lord, I weep and I mourn,  
For the like Lazarus died—  
"To be sure!"  
Die the like Lazarus died,  
"To be sure!"  
Die the like Lazarus died,  
Lord, I'm will'n to die the like Lazarus died—  
Old Lazarus died,  
I'm will'n to die the like Lazarus died,  
I'm will'n to die the like Lazarus died,  
I'm will'n to die the like Lazarus died—  
Poor Lazarus died.  
The title of Lazarus seems to appeal particularly to the negro's heart, and if he were to choose a patron saint, it would not be St. Augustine or St. Boniface, Africa with its slave trade, but Lazarus, who suffered and died in the gate of Divos.

A new version of "The Charmine Ballad"

The wife walks up the wither, and  
 I know I never will see thee there,  
 And Mary, my girl, and I,  
 The chief singer of our black folk is a negro  
 with features resembling the Malay type  
 curled lips, eyes lit by a sort of drowsy  
 twinkle, and a voice well suited to a  
 monotonous and minor music of his people.  
 Her husband supports him in a clear  
 falsetto voice, softer, or in unison, as the  
 fancy or mood dictates. The brother, Ja-  
 Byrd rolls off a deep bass running of  
 an octave lower than the leader, with  
 the others give vent to responses and  
 the chorus. A specimen of a song of praise  
 is sufficient:—

CHORUS.

Hallelujah to de lauh;  
 Sing it to sweet  
 My Lord is on de prairie hand—

De wind wil kom en de storm may bring—  
De warfare! 't'll soon be ended;  
How many my feet have I seen  
De warfare! 't'll soon be ended;  
I wish that thunder'd rise and fall,  
De warfare! 't'll soon be ended;  
How day than both death and hell,  
De warfare! 't'll soon be ended;  
H'll build you safe where of atern never rages,  
By and by, etc.

A hymn of aspiration is sung to a real  
vigorous and expressive air. I give the  
words:—

HYMN OF ASPIRATION.

I want to climb up Jacob's ladder,  
O Jacob's ladder!  
O Jacob's ladder!  
I want to climb up quick and higher,  
But I cannot till I make my peace with the Lord,  
I will praise you, Lord!  
Yes, I praise him till I die,  
Yes, I praise him till I die.  
And sing Jerusalem.

THE LANGUAGE OF GESTURE  
First there is the language of gesture. You ask me, for example, and the man who you ask thinks he has no business to be intelligible as any "no" or "yes" may be made by the finger instead of saying with his voice; you may refuse politely by shrugging your shoulder; you may show approval by patting a kiss is the current expression of approval. Think for a minute: how much more they say by the motion of his body than they are able to say intelligible to him than his words. Indeed words are almost unemployed to state his meaning; as though we told Englishmen are apt to think him ridiculous, he is using a wealth of expression of which we rarely are

In order to give useful occupation to the men during the long evenings, a school was instituted and classes formed under the

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**THE GREAT EMPEROR CHARLES V.**  
His constitution had been always weak, though, during his youth, it drew to itself the life of his empire. When a child, a ride of a few miles calmed for a rest of many hours, and even days. At his sister's wedding, in 1514, he danced a little too much, and this brought on fever. Such fevers he often had, until the age of thirty, went took their place. The now ailment, as years went on, became more and more violent, and he was obliged to take considerable quantities of blood purges, in a small room, heated by a stove to the warmth of an oven. He was often for days to

spies, after whom he slept sick. At midnight they had to get up, and Charles, who was very tired, lay down on his back, and after an hour or two found he was supped." Robert Ascham, standing near the Emperor's table, at a feast of the Knights of the Golden Fleece, wondered at the Imperial guest eating much "scorbeef, roasted mutton, add baked ham," feeding well off capon, and drinking, as Erasmus says it, "the best healthful wine that grows here." He was glad for twice as long as many of them, and never drank less than a quart at once of Rheims' wine. The finding-out, a few years ago, at Dunkirk, an account of the Imperial household expenses shows that Charles and his Court kept Lent strictly, and that bread, salted fish, and salad were their chief food. They ate no meat, and Charles's dainties, a Yule boar often began dinner with straw-berries and cream. If, however, Charles ate

have had little Latin and less Greek, French and  
 and Flemish, to know absolutely, and I have  
 and Italian, and German fairly well.  
 He was wont to say that a man, for  
 every language he knew, was so many  
 times more a man. He might justly have  
 quoted the saying with regard to himself.  
 No doubt this mental training kept him free  
 from that sort of madness that was in his  
 case, and which has been the fate of many  
 great gifts of mind of the great-souled. His  
 powers were undimmed through all his life  
 to the last. In body frail, in mind strong, a  
 heart holy, it was not so wonderful that  
 Charles longed to cast away the tolls, the  
 mores, the ramparts of power, to seek under  
 the shadow of the Cross rest, studies, science  
 and the joys of religion. — *The Month*

A minister was called in to see a man who was very ill. After finishing his visit, as he

of the cocoon and pain, where they may be easily mistaken for a bunch of ripe cocoons. Hanging close to the cocoon, each with its head buried in the folds of the chest, his body wrapped up in the ample folds of the large wings, and the back turned outward, the brightly coloured head and neck is presented to view, and resembles the extremity of a ripe cocoon, but, with which this animal also closely corresponds in size. — *Nature*.

**DOWN THE WATER IN 1824.**

In a "Story of the Clyde," in *Chambers's Journal*, Dr. Chambers writes:—"While still a very young man, I was taken by a kind-hearted friend to see the Clyde and some of the western parts of Scotland. This was in the summer of 1824, about twelve years after the introduction of steam navigation. At the time there were no boats on the Clyde, the top of the river being only used for boats from Milnburgh,

depended altogether on the wind. Suppose you had perhaps arranged to sail on a Monday morning at six o'clock, you rose early, took a mouthful of breakfast, and then went down to the broomcloset. It was all of no use; the wind was dead against the "gabbard," and the voyage being put off till next morning, you went home to bed, or to spend the morning wearily. The same thing, possibly, took place day after day for a week, until the wind changed, and you were able to get off."

"AS YOU LIKE IT."

When we read this drama, we see that it recognises Love as the pivot and centre of activity and joy—the every core of life. It has been said that its chiefend was "to dally with the innocence of love." It surely, however has a higher aim than that. When we observe that all the evils in the play originate

“There is joy in the presence of God over one sinner that repenteth” (Luke—xv. 7 and 10)—bringing out beautifully the fine “Atonement” which the following out of the Redeemer’s presence, “As you like it done to you, so do to others,” in the lines—

“There is three mirth in heaven  
Where earthly things have done even  
At one together.”

—Shakespeare, *As You Like It*, IV., with Introduction and Notes by Samuel Lee.

**GROWING OLD.**

We are most of us a little surprised, and perhaps not a little hurt, when we discover, by some inadvertent remark of friend or foe, that time has really made inroads upon us, that age is becoming a personal experience. We vaguely recognize the fact, to be sure, that their were silences abroad among our traces, that our features have lost something

buds over the ground at a snail's pace; and  
 reminds one of a bold and reckless  
 growing old like Dan's Bickety, with  
 and smoke-bells, who, with rumsey eyes  
 and skiny hands, who forgets who  
 happened within the hour, and mumbles  
 familiarly about the events of fifty  
 years ago. It cannot be possible, we assure  
 ourselves, that ago has overtaken us already;  
 it must be a mistake of the young people  
 who fancy that every day is a new day,  
 and, as they grow old, with a smile, that  
 they are ourselves. They are thought a woman of  
 fifty ought to be preparing for sterility, that  
 she must have outlived everything worth  
 living for; while the old bean, who felt as  
 young as at twenty, earned our liveliest con-  
 tempt. But now we begin to believe that  
 time does not exist for the soul, that we are  
 still young in spite of the years that we  
 have lived.

**COTTON GOODS.**

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Avan	Dec. 17	A. Bentley	Brit. str.
Ande	—	Peterman	Brit. str.
A. Jocheychoy	—	N. Hawkins	Brit. str.
Anda	Apr. 19	Reeves	Brit. str.
Urtud	Apr. 9	J. Johnson	Brit. str.
Chingvalla	Apr. 15	Molen	Dan. str.
Penion	Apr. 18	Rhodes	Brit. str.
White Clouds	—	Hoyland	Brit. str.
Of-tai-sai	—	D. Browne	Brit. str.
Lambel	Apr. 23	Seymour	Brit. str.
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A. Russell	Apr. 13	Carver	Amer. bl.
Anglo Saxon	Mich. 1	Harrier Harrington	Brit. bl.

W. H. Whitridge	Apr. 16	Oudin	Brit. bk.
L. of Angley	Apr. 16	McLean	Brit. bk.
J. Leblanc	Apr. 16	Hall	Brit. bk.
Myrtle Bell	Feb. 27	Plummer	Amr. sh.
N. Conant	Apr. 2	José Urrutia	Span. bk.
Normann	Mar. 28	E. Taylor	Span. sh.
W. C. C. C.	Apr. 16	Garrick	Brit. sh.
Nettie McNeil	Mar. 25	Brown	Amr. bk.
Loisina	Feb. 28	Hagen	Amr. sh.
Correa	Mar. 25	Berglund	Russ. bk.
W. C. C. C.	Apr. 16	Osbald	Brit. sh.
Clifford Long	Apr. 20	Mason	Amr. sh.
Leziah	Mar. 27	Wardens	Brit. sh.
W. C. C. C.	Mar. 14	Wright	Brit. sh.
W. C. C. C.	Apr. 16	Watson	Brit. sh.
Wm. H. Doty	Apr. 18	McIntosh	Amr. bk.
RECEIVED			
Obuse	—		Fow. Ma.
John Adam	—	J. H. Grimes	Hulk

Name.	Nation.	Tons.
Armonis de la Victoria	Spain, trans.	1300

9 lbs.	4.40	8.50	Brown
10 lbs.	5.90	6.80	Buff
11	8.10	8.80	Camo

Lead, Lib.	per lb.	73.50	\$10.	Or
English	per lb.	73.50	\$10.	Or
American	per lb.	73.50	\$10.	Or
Spanish	per lb.	73.50	\$10.	Or
Polish	per lb.	73.50	\$10.	Or
Shipping Metal	per cask	94.00	\$4.00	Or
German	per cask	94.00	\$4.00	Or
French	per cask	94.00	\$4.00	Or
Italian	per cask	94.00	\$4.00	Or
Vienna	per box	94.00	\$4.00	Or
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<b>PRODUCE.</b>				
Apples	per bushel	\$4.00	\$5.00	Or
Oranges	per bushel	1.00	1.50	Or
Lemons	per bushel	1.00	1.50	Or
Strawberries	per bushel	1.00	1.50	Or
Raspberries	per bushel	1.00	1.50	Or
Blackberries	per bushel	1.00	1.50	Or
Cherries	per bushel	1.00	1.50	Or
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1387	P. & O. S. N. Co	
1384	Kwok Achong	Yokohama
1385	P. & O. S. N. Co	
1408	Wap. Pantan & Co	Shanghai
1417	Mayer & Co	
1427	Jardine, Matheson & Co	
1432	H. O. & M. Steamboat Co	
1410	Kwok Achong	
1542	P. & O. S. N. Co	Shanghai

*between Hongkong and Canton  
between Masao and Hongkong.*

**TRAVELLING VESSELS.**

682	Vogel, Hagedora & Co	New York
794	Mayer & Co	London

500	Hall & Co.	Batavia
503	Hop Kee	Oregon
509	Rozario & Co.	New-York
755	Vogel, Hagendorf & Co.	Manila
761	Remigius & Co.	
771	Park Mac & Co.	
798	W. n. Pastan & Co.	London
811	Vogel, Hagendorf & Co.	S. Francisco
850	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	
406	Vogel, Hagendorf & Co.	S. Francisco
931	Sleusman & Co.	Manila
1375	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	
1376	Chimise	
219	Wipac & Co.	Nicolaeski
204	Bernio Co.	
809	Vogel, Hagendorf & Co.	
	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	
<b>LIVING VESSELS &amp; HULKS.</b>		
289	Harbour Master	
318	Water Police	

Com. H. G. Saimond	Hongkong
Captain A. Buller	En route to Orléans
Lieut.-Com. T. Ego	Hongkong
Lieut.-Com. Paul	En route to Tientsin
Com. R. E. Napier	Foohow
Lieut.-Com. J. B. Hays	Haitan Straits
Lieut.-Com. O. Tudor	Shanghai
Captain H. W. Bar	Swearing Nagasaki
Com. Facey	Kobe
Commodore Watson	Hongkong
Lieut.-Com. H. Ryder	Yokohama

  

CHINA HARBOUR	
Com.	Captain.
Don J. Borrajo	

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or, packed	19	16.80	a	10.50	19	G

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park	G. Lafavour	Brit. str	Bunning

Germann Apr. 5	Lumbke Ger. bg
Morgan Feb. 28	Wendt Ger. bt
Volk Apr. 4	Wilken Brit. bg
Sterner Moh. 28	Moller Ger. aob
Sebeoka Apr. 4	Thomson Ger. b
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Phillips Mar. 26	Willinson Brit. bt
Kramer Mar. 28	Eggers Ger. aob

Colahna	Apr. 2	Bargeon	Brit. bk
Lloyds	Feb. 23	Ames	Amr. bk
Wespar	Feb. 27	Davies	Brit. bk
Wollins	Oct. 14	Miles	Dut. sh
Wesel	Feb. 23	Johnson	Brit. bk
Jayr Jans	Feb. 18	Brinkmeier	Amr. sh
Wesphub	Feb. 21	Black	Brit. bk
Wesmaru	Apr. 1	Young	Jap. sh

Low	2.50	2.55
et Beans	2.40	2.45

Nrt.		8.25	8.55
Black Wood, Mahogany	.....	3.50	3.70
" " South Sea	.....	18.00	18.50
Pau. Wood, Manila	.....	1.60	2.00
" " Sam	.....	3.25	3.90
Canton White, I. & S.	.....	5.50	5.45
" " Dark Brown	.....	4.70	5.00
West Coast, Red Brown	.....	5.00	5.20
Mamtu, Dry White	.....	6.45	6.50
Candy	.....	3.85	3.65
" " Brough	.....	3.50	3.40
Calli, Tienora	.....	8.90	9.05
" "	.....	6.25	6.00
" "	.....	7.75	7.50
California	.....	1.85	1.83
Oil	.....	71.61	71.50
" "	.....	41.50	41.40
Sun	.....	\$2.25	2.45
W Glass	per box	3.50	3.40

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er between *Cheung-chow* and  
**MACAO.**  
 in port on 18th April, 1877.  
 H.O. & M.Steamboat Co.  
 between *Canton* and *Macao*.  
**SWATOW.**

290	H. A. Petersen & Co	Sourabaya
299	H. A. Petersen & Co	
257	Boyd & Co	Taiwanfoo
311	H. A. Petersen & Co	Taiwanfoo
256	Fasechag & Co	
FOOCHOW.		
Report on 18th April, 1977.		
514	Order	
260	Chincoo	
SHANGHAI		

200	Fearon, Low & Co.
YOKOHAMA.	
In port on 11th April, 1877.	
510	Waleh, Hall & Co.
830	L. Kniffier & Co
54	Captain
698	B. Abbott
1162	E. O. Kirby & Co
882	L. Kniffier & Co
023	M. B. Co
MANILA.	

person 14th April 1877.		
854.	T. Herman & Co	London
857.	Smiths, Bell & Co	
858.	Inchbush & Co	Canis
856	Smiths, Bell & Co	
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405	O. Heinzen & Co	Chunnel
078	Smiths, Bell & Co	
261	Order	

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